

**Remarks**

In an office action dated 18 October 2004, the Examiner rejects claims 2, 6, 9-18, 20, and 21 and allows claims 1, 3-5, 7-8, and 19. In response to the office action, Applicants cancel claims 2, 6, 9-18, 20, and 21. Claims 1, 3-5, 7-8, and 19 remain in the application. As all rejected claims are canceled, Applicants respectfully request that this application be allowed.

The examiner also objected to the drawings because of the handwritten reference characters and numerals. Attached hereto are three (3) sheets of formal drawings that overcome these objections.

If the Examiner has any question regarding this response or the application in general, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at 775-586-9500.

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